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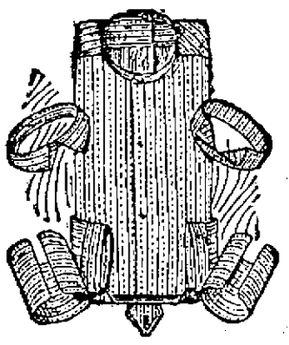

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New line of Ladies' and Gents' engraved band rings, warranted for 5 years at 50c, worth $1.50.
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New Spring Styles Now Ready

For your inspection. We place on sale this week our new Spring Goods, embracing everything that is new and novel to be found in any first class shoe store. We spared no pains in making our purchases to get the correct thing in both styles and colors to be worn this spring and summer. As to values we are prepared to give our customers better values than ever before. Our Motto this season will be the same as heretofore, "Portsmouth Made Shoes." We have in stock now complete lines of Drew, Selby & Co.'s Ladies' Fine Shoes, The Heer Shoe Co.'s ladies' medium priced shoes, The Excelsior Shoe Co.'s Men's, Boys' and Youth's shoes, and The Star Shoe Co.'s Misses' and Children's shoes. See window displays.

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We've Got It.

The CENTRAL GROCERY

LOUD'S MAIL BILL

Is Under Discussion In the National House.

GOVERNMENT PAYS A SUBSIDY.

So Declares the Author of the Measure In His Exhaustive Speech In Favor of It—Amendment Relating to Sample Copies Removes Much Opposition to the Proposed Law.

Washington, March 2.—The Loud bill relative to second-class mail matter is under consideration in the house.

The bill is identical with the bill passed at the last congress, but Mr. Loud, its author, gave notice of an amendment permitting the transmission at pound rates of sample copies up to 10 per cent of the bona fide circulation of the newspapers or periodicals.

This amendment removes much opposition to the bill. Only three speeches were delivered. Mr. Loud made an exhaustive speech in its favor, claiming that the government practically paid a subsidy of $40,000,000 to the proprietors of publications which now get access to the mails at pound rates, as the cost of transporting mail and its handling averaged 8 cents per pound.

Continue the System.

Washington, March 2.—In speaking of the decision of United States District Judge Rogers at Kansas City, in which he held in effect that the present system of government meat inspection was unconstitutional, Attorney General Griggs said that his advice to the agricultural department officials would be to continue the system as at present until all of the facts in the case could be presented to the court.

Southern Outrages Discussed.

Washington, March 2.—The two outrages on Republican postmasters in the south—at Lake City, S. C., and Ada, Ga.,—were discussed in the cabinet meeting. The first impulse of the officials in cases like those cited, it is said, is to abolish the office where the outrage occurs. The office at Lake City has been abolished, but so far nothing has been done regarding the case at Ada.

Purchase of Powder Authorized.

Washington, March 2.—The house committee on naval affairs agreed on items of $1,000,000 for the purchase of smokeless powder; $92,000 for the erection of buildings on government ground for the manufacture of smokeless powder, with the necessary machinery and equipment, and $60,000 for arming and equipping the naval militia.

Public Debt Statement.

Washington, March 2.—The monthly treasury statement of the public debt shows that the debt, less cash in the treasury, at the close of business Monday, amounted to $1,010,104,216, a decrease for the month of $1,597,122. This decrease is accounted for by a corresponding increase in the cash.

Just a Bit of Sop.

Washington, March 2.—The secretary of the treasury has received, through the British ambassador, information that the Canadian government would hereafter allow American vessels to carry merchandise from one port in Canada to another.

To Remove State Bank Tax.

Washington, March 2.—Senator Platt of New York introduced a bill to regulate the issue of circulating notes by state banks of deposit and discount. The bill relieves such notes from the tax imposed by section 3412 of the Revised Statutes.

New Counterfeit Note.

Washington, March 2.—A new issue of counterfeit $2 treasury note discovered by the secret service some time ago has made its appearance. This note bears check letter B and plate number 28.

Retired Army Officer Dead.

Washington, March 2.—Lieutenant Commander Charles Henderson Craven, United States navy (retired), died here, aged 55.

Murdered In Her Rooms.

Jamison, Pa., March. 2.—Miss Annie L. Edwards was found murdered in her bedroom, her head being beaten into a jelly.

Another Sensational Cut.

Chicago, March 2.—The Canadian Pacific road is contemplating another sensational cut in north Pacific coast rates. When next it applies the knife it will, if reports are true, take an additional cut of $10 off the rate.

Fusion Recommended.

Boise City, March 2.—The silver Republican state committee met here and passed resolutions recommending fusion throughout the state with the Democrats and Populists.

See Lehman's shoes before you buy. They save you money.

GOTLIEB C. KUHNER,

The Abbatoir Man, Seems to Be Badly Wanted Just Now on the Charge of Supposed Bigamy.

Gotlieb C. Kuhner, one of the owners of the Portsmouth abattoir, and a prominent farmer of Bloom township, has been the subject of considerable comment within the last few weeks. Mr. Kuhner has a wife in the Athens asylum. A few weeks ago it was reported that Mr. Kuhner had married a Mrs. Sarah H. Lyons, of this city. They were supposed to have been married at Alexandria, Ky. Henry A. Prior, of South Webster, a brother of Mrs. Kuhner, has been investigating the matter and claims to have the evidence that the reported marriage is true. Mr. Kuhner is out of the city, and what he might have to say about the report cannot be learned until his return.

WHIST IS POPULAR.

A Third Whist Club Has Been Organized by the Ladies and Is Now in Full Blast.

The game of whist is still gaining in popularity among the ladies of Portsmouth, the third club this season have recently been organized through the instrumentality of Miss Kate Kinney. There are eight members at present with the probability of another table being added. The club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Q. Adams, entertained by Miss Sallie Connell.

The members Mrs. E. L. Gates, Mrs. Jas. Adams, Mrs. Carrie D. Brooks, Mrs. Nannie Kinney, Mrs. Julia A. Turley, Miss Grace Cotton, Miss Connell and Miss Kinney.

A Great Rush.

The assignee sale at the Opera House dry goods store is drawing immense crowds, and Mr. Thomas, the assignee, has been compelled to put on extra clerks to wait on the customers. Many articles are selling for half their cost price, and the store will be cleaned out in short order. It is a great chance for bargains.

Ceremony Postponed.

The monument of Chas. E. Secret, at Greenup, Ky., was to have been unveiled by River City Camp No. 29, Woodmen of the World, of this city next Sunday, but the ceremony has been unavoidably postponted one account of sickness of relatives of the deceased.

His Trousers Spoiled.

George Zwick missed connection with the step while trying to board a rapidly moving street car at the corner of Lincoln and Eleventh streets this morning and was dragged about twenty yards in the mud. A pair of trousers was spoiled.

Fred Rider Is Happy.

Fred Reider, the genial proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, is in a very happy mood today over the arrival of a bouncing little girl at his house last night Both babe and mother are doing nicely. Fred is making his friends happy on account of the new arrival.

By a Piece of Steel.

"Curly" Rhodes, working at the guide mill at the Burgess, met with a painful accident this morning about three o'clock. A sharp bar of steel hit him on the leg, cutting a deep gash, which required four stitches. Dr. Hall attended to his injuries, and he was removed to his home. He will be laid up for some time.

The Misses Hughes Entertain.

The Misses Hughes, of East Front street, entertained their friends last night. An elegant time was had. Dainty refreshments were served, and the guests departed happy.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

A distinct earthquake shock was felt in Paducah, Ky.

The government has abandoned the expedition to aid Klondikers.

All the waterways of Alaska will be carefully surveyed and charted.

The hottest election contest ever witnessed has just ended in Ontario.

Fire destroyed nearly the entire business portion of Watersweet, Mich.

The dispatch boat Dolphin has been floated in the dry dock in the New York navy yard.

The steamer City of Colombia bound for Klondike from New York is delayed at Valparaiso for lack of funds.

A hurricane devastated New Caledonia, Australia, and the French gunboat Loyalty was sunk.

A bill has been introduced in the New York assembly to permit nonprofessional games on Sunday.

The proprietors of The Farm, Field and Fireside of Chicago have been indicted for fraudulent use of the mails.

A druggist at Olathe, Kan., whose application was signed by ex-Governor St. John, ex-Prohibitionist, has been refused a permit to sell liquor.

ENGLISHMEN

Do Not Think Other European Nations Would Interfere

In the Event of a War Between Spain and the United States Over Cuba—The Court of Inquiry In Session—Divers Hard at Work on the Wreck of the Maine—General News.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, March 2.—A London dispatch to the World says that the general trend of opinion among members of parliament, who are acknowledged authoirities on foreign affairs, is that no European power would interfere in case of war between the United States and Spain. They say there is no European interest touched by the Caban matter that would tempt any country to meddle with it.

The Inquiry Court.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Key West, March 2.—The court examined ten more enlisted men. Commander Forsythe also testified.

Divers Hard at Work.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Havana, March 2.—Divers are working hard on the wreck of the Maine. It is feared many bodies of the crew were blown to pieces, which accounts for failure to find them. Senator Proctor has gone to Matanzas with Clara Barton and Mrs. Ward.

Senate in Executive Session.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., March 2.—The senate, on motion of Hale, went into executive session immediately after they convened today.

The Colored P. M.'s Death.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., March 2.—The senate committee on post-offices and post roads authorized a favorable report on Senator Mason's joint resolution for investigation of the killing of the colored postmaster at Lake City, S. C. A resolution was presented in the senate and laid over till tomorrow on objection of Allen, of Nebraska.

Injunction Denied.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, March 3.—The application of the Inter-Ocean for an injunction restraining the Associated Press from cutting off its news service on account of alleged violation of rules of the Associated Press, was denied by Judge Waterman.

Shot Himself in the Forehead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Lexington, Ky., March 2.—Edward L. Price, a prominent business man, shot himself in the forehead this morning. He was despondent over ill-health.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill, March 3.—Hogs, active, higher, $3.90, $4 15; cattle, stronger; beeves, $3.00, $5.50

Wheat, $1 07⅞, May; corn, 28⅞; oats, 25½.

Toledo.—Wheat, $1.00

Cincinnati.—Eggs, 10½.

TELEGRAPH TIPS.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Senator Foraker addressed Ohio legislature today, saying Spain would be responsible for trouble when it came.

Rev. Pelton et al, of the Cincinnati reform league, arrested for perjury in causing the arrest of Sergeant Lenhart last fall.

Kentucky legislature wants to know how many troops Kentucky has in readiness in case of war.

Secretary Long will send war ships Montgomery and Nashville to Cuba with relief committee.

Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs will consider Hawaiian annexation Saturday.

Negro murderer Fred Mare lynched at Sanitobia, Miss., last night.

Body Mrs. O. E. Miller, Winton place, near Cincinnati, buried Jan. 13, exhumed for post-mortem examination at Springfield.

Committee Meeting.

The committee of fifteen on home missions, appointed by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, has been called to meet March 10th in New York City. Dr. Tappan, who is the representative from this state on the committee, expects to leave for this meeting the first of next week.

Good Dividend Declared.

The directors of the Portsmouth Building and Loan company met last night and declared an annual dividend of 7 per cent. The affairs of the association are in a prosperous condition.

Young Jim Skelton's Wanderings.

Young Jim Skelton, who left Portsmouth several months ago, is now in Los Angeles, Cal. A letter from Mr. A. McFarland states that he arrived there several weeks ago.

THE TIMES.

DAILY AND WEEKLY.

Readers of the TIMES will greatly oblige this office by giving prompt notice of irregular or late delivery; also persons who cannot buy the TIMES in this city or suburbs or in any place where a Portsmouth paper should be sold, will confer a favor by notifying this office at once.

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager.

We understand "Cheap John" wants to sell his stock in the Tribune. "Tax-Dodger" Dever will take it, for most people can see little difference between a "tax-dodger and a "tax-eater." Dever would make a boon companion for the man from Adams.

After a seige of a week, Mr. Blomeyer succeeded in getting the Blade to publish a card favoring his candidacy for re-nomination for member of the water works board. For fear the people might think the Blade was publishing this statement as its endorsement of Blomeyer, it places three *** after the article. The gang is against Blomeyer and refuse to even give the facts in his favor. Higgins says he will "beat that old Dutchman." Wonder if the people or Higgins is running the affairs of the city?

It seems that the gang organ has suddenly discovered that Mrs. Englert is a terribly bad woman. The Blade knows nothing today that it did not know when Abbott was arrested. Why this change? Is it because the rendezvous of the gang has passed out of the hands of Mrs. Englert? But a few days ago the judge was prevailed upon to let Mrs. Englert off for selling on Sunday, though he sent Mrs. Hunster to jail for the same offense. The Lodge Cafe was then the gang rendezvous. Things have changed since then, and the Blade changes too. Is it any wonder that the decent people of Portsmouth are leaving the gang and the Blade? The outlaws, embezzlers, bank robbers and swindlers are all flocking to the gang for protection.

The Times has the support of the common people. They are the builders of cities, churches, schools and homes. From their earnings they support themselves and the state. The workingmen are the subscribers most valuable to the publisher and the advertiser. The man who is industrious is honest, and the man who is honest pays for what he gets. The Daily Times last night, March 1st, sent out by its carriers to actual subscribers ONE THOUSAND, EIGHT HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOUR papers, and its combined circulation was nearly 2,075. It pays to be an independent paper—independent of gangs, independent of dive keepers, independent of "tax-eaters," either the home-grown or the Adams county product, independent of court house patronage, independent of everything but the people. We bow to their will, but never to the will of the gang and a "Cheap John" judge.

There is a rumor on the streets that the "caudal appendage" to the Blade is in great need of another contribution. The judge and the ex-judge should plunk in another hundred apiece They should not weary in well doing, for the people are dying for "a decent Democratic paper" We don't know of more competent men to determine what constitutes "a decent Democratic paper" than "Cheap John" and "Tax-Dodger" Dever. Possibly Sister Hard might, after interviewing "Flick" Jones, give them some pointers on "Morality and Religion." We understand the Adams county "tax-eaters" want an advisory board for their "caudal appendage" to the Blade. "Cheap John" Milner, "Tax-Dodger" Dever, Sister Hard, "Boss" Higgins and "Flick" Jones would make a fine one. The board should consist of five members, because if it were four "Flick" and Sister Hard might differ from their co-adjutors on questions of "morality and religion." From an experience of a year since the Blade has been advocating "morality and religion. We can, with great assurance, place "Boss" Higgins on this board as a heavy-weight for "religion and morality." With such a board a "Democratic paper" would be perfectly harmless to the gang and the agents of hades in this community.

THE ENGLERT-ABBOTT CASE.

The course of the Blade in "exposing" Mrs. Mary Englert and her associates of the Lodge Cafe, is in keeping with the traditions of that sheet. It will remembered that several months ago when Mrs. Englert's friend, Dr. A. L. Abbott, was jailed on a charge of murder, the Times denounced the Lodge Cafe crowd and brought forward instances which looked shady, to say the least. Then the Blade had a fit of virtuous indignation and denounced the Times for "assailing a weak and defenseless woman," and threatened to have the "courts interfere and protect Mrs. Englert." Now the Blade is ten times worse on Mrs. Englert than the Times ever was.

The explanation for this change of front is apparent. When Doc. Abbott was arrested for murder, he was in the he y-day of his glory and was the boon companion of various leading lights of the Republican gang. He was a member of the Garfield club and of the McKinley battery and right in with the leaders. He was the associate of Floyd McCormick, Charley Hard, John Higgins, Philo Clark and other leaders. Not only was this true, but the Lodge Cafe was the rendezvous of the select lights of the gang. Some of these gang attorneys, too, were getting rich off Mrs. Englert and "Doc." Abbott. They were bleeding them good and strong and thought they had a good thing, which would never fail them. So the Blade was called in to browbeat and bulldoze and threaten to have the court interfere, so the gang favorites would be protected.

Now today all is changed. Doc. Abbott is a fugitive from justice, as the Times predicted he would be, while Mrs. Englert has refused to pay an enormous bill of the gang's attorney and is standing him off and will have the case tried in court. The Blade's services are again called into requisition, and that sheet is now busily trying to bulldoze and bluff the public into believing that Mrs. Englert is what the Blade said she was not a few weeks ago!!!! The Blade is trying to influence public opinion so that Gangsters McCormick a d Dever will have no difficulty in securing a verdict for their unprecedented charges. On no other hypothesis can the actions of the Blade be explained.

The above shows up the hypocrisy of the Blade in all its brazenness. What a pitable spectacle for the organ of "morality and religion"! The Blade is but a cowardly, sneaking sheet, that seeks to cover a multitude of sins under mighty shouts of its own Godliness and goodness.

STATE OFFICIALS

Want the Railroads to Furnish Them Free Transportation.

Columbus, O., March 2.—Free transportation for all state officials and members of the general assembly is provided for in a bill by Senator Burke.

For refusal to carry any such officers the railroad company is liable to a penalty of $500, one-half of which goes to the state and the balance to the informer.

A section protects the railroad, as any person using a pass authorized by the law other than the officials named is liable to a fine not exceeding $100.

The Smith bill, outlawing claims for soldiers' bounties, was defeated in the house.

Senator Voight introduced a bill to allow private persons to kill deer kept in captivity.

Senator Leet has a bill providing that school pupils shall be instructed in the art of voting.

Mr. McCormick's bill creating a commission to systematize and regulate fees of county officials was defeated in the house.

The 2-cent fare bill was laid on the table in the senate. This is thought by some to mean its defeat.

Rockefeller Interested.

Cleveland, March 2.—The suit of James Corrigan against John D. Rockefeller, involving Standard Oil stock valued at $1,000,000, came up before Judge Neff of the common pleas court. Corrigan sued Rockefeller to recover 2,500 shares of Standard Oil stock, alleged to be worth $500 per share, claiming that Rockefeller had defrauded him out of the shares.

Greenhut's Big Scheme.

Cincinnati, March 2.—A distiller in Cincinnati is authority for the information that a deal is being worked for the consolidation of all the spirits manufacturing plants independent of the American Spirits Manufacturing company. The plan is then to consolidate the new combination with the American company, with J. B. Greenhut at the head.

Piero Bound Over.

Massillon, O., March 2.—Ex-Mayor W. J. Piero of Canton was given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Folger and bound over under $2,000 bond. Witnesses testified that the stamps found in Mr. Piero's possession were those stolen from the Massillon postoffice.

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New Madras Shirtings, warranted fast colors, 12½c and 15c.
New Madras Ginghams, for Shirt Waists and Dresses.
New Draperies, plain and figured Denims, Silkolines, etc.
New India Linens, Organdies, Dimities, plain and figured Swiss, English Long Cloth, etc.

Connolley's Store.

McAleer Will Play.

Cleveland, March 2.—Captain Tebeau announced that McAleer, the famous center fielder, had decided to re-enter baseball and had affixed his signature to a Cleveland contract for the coming season at a salary of $2,400.

Ten Dollars Each Subscribed.

Springfield, O., March 2.—At a mass-meeting here to raise funds for a monument to the victims of the Maine subscriptions were started with $10 each from Governor Bushnell and Mayor Good.

Investigation Proceeds.

Columbus, O., March 2.—The senatorial bribery investigating committee took testimony in an effort to ascertain why Cincinnati fusionists voted for Senator Hanna.

Deserted His Wife.

Prospect, O., March 2.—John Studebaker, a Salvation army leader and exhorter of Radnor, has left for parts unknown, leaving a wife in destitute circumstances.

Dead In a Bathtub.

Kenton, O., March 2.—Harry Moore of New York, who was visiting his mother here, was found in the bathtub with a bullet hole in his head. He had suicided.

His Skull Fractured.

Elyria, O., March 2.—Mat Lattimer, farmer, was struck by a train while driving across the tracks. His skull was fractured. He will die.

Woman Burned to Death.

Barnesville, O., March 2.—Mrs. Jessie Gallagher, 18, was burned to death in her home, her clothing catching fire from an open grate.

A Columbus Man Suicides.

Columbus, O., March 2.—Edward H. Dickson of this city suicided in Syracuse, N. Y., by taking morphine.

Declared Constitutional.

Columbus, O., March 2.—The supreme court has declared the Garfield corrupt practices law constitutional.

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BRANCH

Gets the Water Works Coal Contract for the Year 1898.

So the Water Works Board Decides at Their Meeting Last Night—The Purchase of Two Babcock Fire Extinguishers Is Being Considered—A New Ash Flue to Be Put In.

The waterworks board met last night at their regular monthly meeting.

The minutes of the former meeting were read by Secretary Hall and approved by the board. The schedule, amounting to $856.81, was allowed, with the exception of two items on C. S. Cadot's bill, which had already been paid. The condition of the treasury was as follows:

Receipts for February	$ 666 33
Disbursements	1 045 24
Balance on hand	$2,045 52

Secretary Hall reported that the bonds which the board had bought had not been received, and that if they were not soon forthcoming the money would be taken from the bank and returned to the treasury.

The board allowed Chas. Winter a tap on Eighth street, and thought that J. F. Davis should pay the water rent due for last year on a house which had not been reported, and which had been built four years ago. It was also decided to give J. I. Marsh a two-inch tap on Tenth street, from Offnere, or if he wished to bring the pipe through the alley from Ninth he could do so at his own expense. Mr. Marsh wanted a four-inch pipe, and if the above is not agreeable to him it will not be put in. The ice plant was rated at $80.

Mr. Homer moved that some changes be made in the ash flues at the water works, as the running water was gradually hurting the building. A new flue will be put inside the old one.

Secretary Hall was instructed to secure bids from two or more draughtsmen to place an extension on the water works map. It was also decided to consider the purchase of two Babcock fire extinguishers.

The coal contract was then brought up, and after some debate it was moved that the contract be awarded to A. A. Branch on his bid of $1.05 per ton, delivered at the pumping station, for Acme nut and slack, the contract being a year from date. Some of the other bids, which were published in the Times two weeks ago, are considerably cheaper than the Acme.

The board then adjourned until the next regular meeting.

STUCK FAST.

A Coal Cart on East Eleventh Street Has an Unenviable Experience with the Mud Holes.

A coal cart coming down Eleventh street yesterday afternoon stuck fast in one of the many mud holes that are found in the streets of this city. A half-dozen men and an extra horse were sent for and the cart was pryed out and started on its way.

In a city of this size, and spending the amount of money that is spent annually on streets, there should be no mud holes deep enough to swamp a coal cart. Such things are frequent in the rural districts or furnace regions, but in a city where thousands of dollars are spent annually on the streets such scenes are disgraceful. Where is the committee on streets? Where is the street commissioner?

Ross Blackwell's Offer.

Ross Blackwell, of Ironton, well known in this city, has received an offer from the Birmingham, Ala., team of the Southern league. Blackwell is now in Wellston as night clerk in a hotel. This is the season of the year when "jingo" ball players get offers as numerous as autumn leaves, but, strange to relate, few of them ever materialize.

Class of '98 Organizes.

The class of '98 of the Portsmouth High school met yesterday evening and organized for the year. There are twenty members in this year's class, all bright and progressive youngsters. The election of officers resulted in Ben Valjean being elected president; Edith Moore, secretary; and Norman Dawson, treasurer.

Meeting of Portsmouth Kindergarten.

Remember the regular monthly meeting of the Portsmouth Kindergarten association on Friday afternoon, at half-past four, in the chapel of All Saints church. As there is business of importance, it is hoped there will be a full attendance.

You will miss a rare treat if you do not stop in at E. L. Gates & Co.'s and see their elegant display of chinaware, glassware and bric-a-brac. Their 10, 15, 25 and 50 cent counters are the finest thing in the city.

NOTICE

To Owners of Carriages and Buggies.

Spring time is coming soon and while you don't use your vehicle bring it around to my shop and have it overhauled and painted. We have no rush yet and could spend more time to do good work, and it would be more fit to stand the hot weather in summer. Only the best of material is used in my work. Try me and you will not regret it.

I have all my livery rigs in fine condition for the spring trade and I am adding a few new ones of the latest style and best quality. Give me a call.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Three Great Attractions.

Three great attractions.

"Other People's Money," Thursday evening, March 3d.

Hoyt's "A Black Sheep," Saturday evening, March 5th.

Byrne Bros.'s "Eight Bells," Monday evening, March 7th.

The advance sale of seats for Hennessy Leroyle, who will present "Other People's Money" at the Grand next Thursday night, will begin at White's tonight. Regular house prices will prevail.

One of the members of "A Black Sheep" company, Edward Garvie, startled the audiences at a Brooklyn theater lately, particularly a number of Brooklyn politicians, at his marked resemblance to Lieutenant Governor Timothy L. Woodruff, of New York state, whose great "fad" is the wearing of highly-colored and loud waistcoats. Some of the politicians ventured, however, to express the opinion that the managemennt had engaged the lieutenant governor in order to strengthen the cast of the company and that the famous "weskitt" would be put on view. There was ill-suppressed anxiety for a few minutes until the figure turned toward the footlights, where it was seen that the famous and irredescent garment was not audible, or at least apparent to the eye, and then it dawned with crushing force upon the expectant beholders that they were only looking at a double of the wily and shrewd politician and society leader.

When Hennessy Leroyle presented the pretty comedy, "Other People's Money," at the Grand opera house last September, the Times said of it: "'A good show—one of the very best that has appeared in Portsmouth for many seasons,' was the unanimous verdict of those who were so fortunate as to witness the production of 'Other People's Money' at the Grand last night.'" Continuing, The Times gave the show one of the best notices ever given a show by this paper. To-day the Times does not change its opinion. It warmly endorses Hennessy Leroyle's play as clean, legitimate comedy that will make anybody laugh. If you enjoy high-class comedy, go to the Grand Thursday night.

"A Black Sheep" comes to the Grand from a week's engagement at Cincinnati.

There is clean comedy in "Other People's Money," the Thursday night attraction at the Grand. None of the "horse play" about it, that many authors indulge in to make people laugh There are no end of laughable situations that make people laugh.

CAN'T DENY IT.

When the Facts Are Brought Home to Us and by Our Neighbors, Too—They Are in Portsmouth.

A wholesome suspicion is one of our characteristics as a people. In matters worthy of investigation we want real tangible facts regarding it. The word of those we know; the nearby evidence obtainable, are generally what we want. When we call on a neighbor, a man of business at that, and say: "You have had some experience with so-and-so. What do you think of it?" and he answers: "Just the thing; I know because I have tried it," it goes a long ways in helping our decision. This is always the case with Doan's Kidney Pills Everybody who has used them for kidney complaint will tell you they are just the thing. Why? Because they do the work every time, and in all disordered conditions of the kidneys. The proof lies with your neighbors. Many have been cured in Portsmouth and are ready to tell you or anyone inquiring.

Mr. G. D. Brown, of 9 West Fourth street, says: "Some months ago, although not anything very serious, but very painful, an attack of backache seized me right accross the loins for a few days. I can attribute no cause to it unless it was the result of a cold which settled in my kidneys. It did not last long after I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at Fisher & Streich's drug store. They soon fixed my back up as good as though it had never had a pain in it. For this reason I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others. If they cured backache in my case, they will in others."

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THE WELSH PRIZE SINGERS

Appeared in the Bigelow Lecture Course Last Evening and Proved One of the Best in the Course.

The Welsh Prize Singers proved to be one of the best entertainments given this season by the Bigelow lecture course. These Welsh people are all singers, and it would be difficult to decide who was best. They are all prize singers The fine soprano voice of Mme. Miles-Beynon is probably superior to anything heretofore heard in this city, while Miss Beatrice Evans was a close second. Mr. Richard Thomas, the leading tenor, who won the national prize of 1897, has a very fine voice and under perfect control. Miss Blodwen Jones has a powerful alto voice, and "Down the Long Avenue" was one of the best on the program. Their appearance in the first part of the program, dressed in Welsh costume, presented quite a contrast to the usual American make-up.

After the completion of the program, Mr. John Beynon sang one verse of the national song of Wales, the company joining in the chorus. A large number in the audience were born-under the Welsh flag, and their countenances could be seen to brighten on hearing the national song of their native country. But could they then have heard "The Star Spangled Banner," the national song of their adopted country, the grand shout of "Long may she wave," might have been heard.

Go to H. J. Wendelken's for anything you want in the grocery line.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy that it has not since returned.—JOSH. EDGAR, Germantown, Cal. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Grand Opera House

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Grand Opera House

Hoyt Night

SATURDAY, MARCH 5

Hoyt's Brightest, Best and Hottest Comedy

A Black Sheep.

Full of bright witticisms, pleasing comicalities, funny situations, etc. Full of up-to-date music, singing, dancing, etc. Regular house prices, 25c to 75c. $1 for boxes.

Prize Coupon--One Vote.

The Times Publishing Company will furnish transportation to Washington, D. C., and return and one week's entertainment at a leading hotel of the Capital City, to the teacher, shoeworker, or other person not in either of these classes, who receives the largest number of votes; and transportation to Washington, D. C. and return to the one receiving the next highest number of votes. The person winning the first prize may take any one of the Times Carriers he may choose at the expense of the Times Pub. Co.

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4c per yard for all Linen Crash.

5c per yard for all Linen Crash in fancy checks.

Calicoes

3c per yd. for new light Calicoes.

4c per yd. for best light Calicoes.

4c per yd. for best blue, black and grey.

500 yards handsome dark fancy Calicoes, real value 6c, our price 4c per yard.

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WARLIKE

Spirit Pervades the Air at McElhaney's Barber Shop.

Captain-General A. B. Jackson Busily Organizing a Company of Volunteers.

The List Was Put Out This Morning for Signatures and Half-a-Dozen Heroes Eagerly Affixed Their Signatures—A List of the Immortals Who Will Do or Die for Their Country.

There is "blud on the moon" down at Roy McElhaneys barber shop, and unless President McKinley soon comes to the rescue with a declaration of war against Spain, there is great danger of somebody about the shop "bustin'" from an overcharge of exuberant patriotism.

There's no use talking, but these boys are being litterally consumed by the burning fires of patriotic fervor. They are howlingly thirsty for Spanish gore and there's war in the air so thick that the darknes which Moses of old caused to descend upon the oppressors of the children of Israel ain't a circumstace to it.

The fountain-head of this war-like spirit is A. B. Jackson, Captain-General of Chair No. 2 of the shop. Jackson has served in the regular army and is an authority on war and things pertaining thereto. His stock is away above par now, and he is looked up to and revered by patriots eagerly awaiting words of wisdom as they fall from his lips. Fully conscious of his proud position, Captain-General Jackson, of Chair No. 2, is carefully nursing the war spirit and bracing up weak-kneed brothers who don't want to get shot at, nohow. He has had a paper prepared to enlist a company of volunteers. This paper was drawn up by Attorney A. T. Holcomb in consideration of fifty cents, coin of the realm. Holcomb's charges were $3.50, it is said, but as he is a candidate for congress, Holcomb kindly threw off $3.00. This paper was put out for signers this morning, and several at once responded.

First came Roy McElhaney, the great mogul himself. He signed his "John Hancock' with a "do or die" air and gave way to Isaac Farmer. Then came Charles Webb, followed in turn by Charles Pfau, who will go under McElhaney's wing. "Deacon" Jim Hughes revolted and refused to sign, preferring to be a live coward rather than a dead hero. "Billy" Jackson, of the Blade staff, was the next hero and was warmly congratulated by all hands. When Jackson signed, the patriots shook hands all round. This was an affecting scene and brought tears to the eyes of an unregenerate Times reporter who was present. Other recruits will be mentioned hereafter.

Captain-General A. B. Jacksons, of Chair No. 2, complained to the Times man confidentially that all of the recruits up to date want to be officers. Mc. wants to be colonel, while Webb would like to be colonel, but would be content with major. Billy Jackson, of the Blade, wants to be quarter-master, and so on.

Any one wishing to sign this list of the immortals can do so by calling at McElhaney's shop tomorrow morning, between the hours of 9 and 11.

Young People's Entertainment.

The young people of Allen Chapel church will give a first-class musical and literary entertainment Thursday evening for the benefit of the trustees of the church. The admission will be ten cents and the entertainment will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. The following program will be rendered:

Chorus, "The Banner of the Free."
Prayer by Rev. Tolliver.
Quintette, "Hence, Now Away"—Mrs. Edwards, Misses Johnson and Hamilton and Messrs. Austin and Ross.
Reading—Miss Nettie Ross.
Solo, 'Sometimes Think of Me"—Miss Mae Freeman.
Recitation, "The Biggest Piece of Pie"—Master Frank Johnson.
Instrumental—Messrs. Minor.
Solo and trio, "On the Banks of the Wabash River"—Mr. John Austin and others.
Quartette, "Italia"—Mrs. Edwards and others
Recitation—Master James Edwards.
Solo—Miss Georgia Johnson.
Instrumental—Messrs. Minor.
Solo, "The Cuban Hero"—Mr. Clifford Peters.
Quartette, "A Song for Tyrol Land"—Mrs. Edwards and others.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

N. & W. Fireman Falls from the Tender and Sprains His Ankle Badly.

F. C. McDonald, fireman on a west bound N. & W. throught freight met with a serious accident last evening in the N. & W. yards here.

Engine 527 on which McDonald was fireman stopped at the watering tank at the shops to take water. McDonald was climbing over the tank which was very slippery from the snow. He slipped and fell to the ground. He was taken to Smiths' boarding house near the passenger depot and Dr. Halderman the company's physician called. He found that McDonald's ankle was badly sprained. He will be laid up some time McDonald's home is in Columbus.

Has Moved.

Julius Sturm, professor of instrumental and vocal music, has moved to No. 620 Washington street. 1-3t

Ladies are delighted with the 10, 15, 25 and 50 cent counters at E. L. Gates & Co.'s. 1-3t

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PERSONAL.

Capt. N. W. Evans is in Cincinnati on legal business.

Mrs. F. L. Sikes spent today with friends at Sciotoville.

Mrs. George Scudder and Miss Mary Damarin are in Cincinnati.

E. C. Macklen, general storekeeper of the N. & W. is in the city today.

Duncan Livingstone, returned last night from a couple of days business visit to Cincinnati.

Mr. Lucius Payne, of Roanoke, Va, is here, the guest of his aunt Mrs. W. Argerbright, at 400 Gallia street.

Miss Minnie Wiechens, the popular milliner, of 207 Chillicothe street, returned yesterday from Cincinnati, after a week spent there in business and pleasure.

Miss Andrey Broomall, accompanied by her aunt Mrs Paul C. Frantz—nee Broomall—has returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schlichter arrived in the city last night from Birmingham, Ala., being on their wedding trip. They will spend some days with Mr. Schlichter's mother on West Tenth street.

Mrs. Albert Ghar, of Mt. Auburn, Cincinnati arrived here this afternoon to spend a week as the guest of Mrs. T. J. Graham, of West Sixth street. Mrs. Ghar is well remembered here as Miss Lily Elden, formerly of this city.

MR. FENTON

Has a Big Fight on His Hands in Adams County.

A Rapidly Growing Opposition Threatens to Spoil the Plans of the Little Congressman—They Want the Courts to Order Primaries Held to Select Congressional Delegates.

Congressman Lucien J. Fenton is having trouble about securing the delegation from his own county—Adams—to the congressional convention, which meets here May 12th.

The counnty committee last fall endorsed Mr. Fenton's candidacy and empowered Fenton to select his own delegates. A West Union dispatch says many Republicans were dissatisfied with the action of the committee because it frustrated the desire of a rapidly growing opposition to defeat Fenton in selecting congressional delegates. This opposition has now filed a petition in common pleas court praying for writ of mandamus to compel the central committee to rescind its resolution indorsing Mr. Fenton in which event the opposition hopes to defeat him in a primary to select delegates to the convention at Portsmouth, May 12. Judge Collings stated the procedure was new to him, and as he had no clear understanding as to just how far the power of a central committee extended he would take it under advisement until he could look up the matter.

A DISPATCHER'S OFFICE

To Be Situated Here Which Will Handle the N. & W. Trains Between Here and Columbus.

It was ascertained this morning by a reporter that the N. & W. people are soon to put in a new force of train dispatchers on this division. The dispatchers who now handle the trains over this division are stationed at Kenova, and a great deal of inconvenience and delay is now caused in handling the immense and numerous freight trains of this division. The work will be divided in half and dispatchers stationed in this city will handle the district from here to Columbus, while the south end will be handled by the Kenova force. The dispatchers' offices will probably be established at the present depot building, and either an enlargement or a new building will probably be erected.

H. J. Wendelken carries a complete line of groceries. Drop in and see him, northwest corner of Chillicothe and Ninth streets. 1-3t

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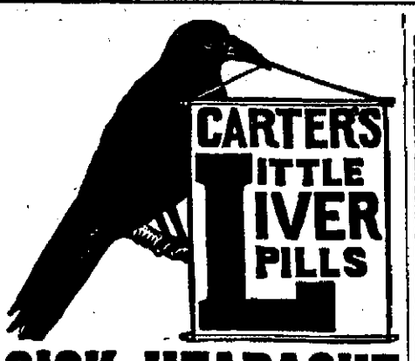

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Shepherd Checks, all colors..... 1.19
Novelty Checks..... 1.98
The very latest in Velvet Plaids, a vision of lovliness.. 2.59
Black Brocaded Silk and Satin Skirts, all prices.

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Men's suits in Cheviot, Cassimere and Worsted, former price $6.50, now.....$ 5 00
Men's all wool suits in Cheviot, Cassimere and Worsted, former price $10.... 7 50
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Our entire stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Overcoats at less than cost of manufacture. Call and examine goods and prices.

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See Ladies' Bazaar's made up Dress Skirts before you buy. They save you money and labor.

Special Sale Three Days Only.

Over 200 Spring styles, including plaids, roman stripes, Silks, Satins, plain or figured Serges and Grenadines.

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We take great pleasure in showing our Skirts, and defy competition on prices and quality. Prices 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.00, $2.50 and $2.98. Silk or Satin, $4.50, plain or figured.

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When you'll be hungry and then these prices will interest you.

1 15c pkg. pancake flour	5c
1 qt. maple syrup	20c
1 pkg. rolled oats	5c
2 doz. fresh eggs	25c
1 lb crackers	5c
1 qt. jar mustard	10c
1 can good apricots	10c
1 can good pears	10c
1 lb can good baking powder	5c
1 3lb can best baking powder	25c
1 sack good flour	50c, 60c, 65c

All of this and still there's more to follow, at

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Are these goods, and enticing are these bargains.

New Sorghum, per gal	30c
Golden Syrup, per gal	30c
Choice Oranges, per doz	25c
Package Coffee, per pkg	10c
1 doz. boxes Matches	10c
1 qt. can Maple Syrup	30c
1 gallon Oil Cans	15c
2 lb fine Strained Honey	25c

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Wheels are our line for '98. They are as good as money can buy. A full line on exhibition.

F. W. Hamilton,

Cor. Third and Washington.

IN AUGUST

Cliff. Stratton Committed This Crime But Was Caught Last Night.

He Stole Forty Dollars Out of the Pocket of Geo. Wurster While an Employe of Wurster Bros. and Soon Skipped—He Returned Last Night and Was Promptly Nabbed by the Marshal—Other Police News.

About the 20th of last August George Wurster, druggist, missed $40 from a coat which he had hung back of the prescription case in his store. At that time "Cliff" Stratton, a colored fellow, was working at the store, and a day or two afterward he departed from the city very suddenly, saying that he was going to Cleveland. Mr. Wurster at once suspected him of the theft and so reported to the police, but the boy could not be found then, and the matter was dropped.

Last night, however, Marshal Schmitt and other members of the force were laying around the N. & W. depot looking for the Chillicothe highwaymen, and while there noticed a large number of colored people assemble for the 11:06 south bound passenger. The marshal asked them what they were waiting for and was told that Stratton was coming home. He thought immediately of the Wurster theft, and so decided to catch his man.

When Stratton got off he was arrested and taken to the station house, where he denied his guilt. This morning Mr. Wurster was notified, and although he is sure that Stratton did the stealing, he would not file charges against him. After being released Stratton practically admitted that he stole the money in several speeches which he made. He may be rearrested.

Marshal Schmitt made a trip down to Carey's run yesterday evening to arrest two men who are wanted very bad in Ashland for thieving.

He got his men, who were housed in a shanty boat, and not wishing to have any more habeas corpus proceedings, as in the Harris case, let the wind blow him across the river, where he notified the Kentucky authorities, who sent the men on to Greenup. The men went by the names of Davis and Lewis.

MRS. ENGLERT

In an Interview With an Enquirer Reporter Gets Back at Mr. Schuler.

Mrs. Englert, formerly of the Lodge Cafe, and who has been designated by some as a spiritualistic fraud, was interviewed by an Enquirer reporter at Cincinnati yesterday, and the following from that paper gives her words:

"Great injustice is done me by the published statements of Mr. Schuler, as they are absolutely without foundation. I gave the $1,650 to Mrs. Schuler in the presence of several reputable witnesses, taking her note for the money. This note I filed with Schuler in the regular way, he being the administrator of his wife's estate. In due course of time he approved the claim and allowed it, and the record is on file in his hands or in the probate court. This man Schuler has been doing his best to injure and annoy me because I would not sell the hotel back to him on his own terms. The good people of Portsmouth who know him I leave to judge as between him and me.'

"Colonel E. Potter Dustin, Mrs. Englert's attorney, who prosecuted her claim, bears out her statment as to its allowances by Schuler, after proof of its legality had been duly established, and expresses himself as surprised at the statements of Schuler.

Dr. Washington Gladden.

One of the greatest pulpit orators and leading lecturers of the day will lecture at Sixth Street church next Monday evening on the subject "True Socialism." Dr. Gladden possesses great ability as an author and speaker, and no one should miss hearing him. The price of admission has been placed at twenty-five cents in order to give all classes of people an opportunity to hear him. The lecture is worth twice the money, and the proceeds over and above expense will go to the Congregational church in this city.

Was an Error.

In the article in yesterday's Times, concerning the boxing bout to take place at the opera house in the near future, it was stated that Mr. Dick Thornton, the pride of the Y. M. I., would participate. In the first place, Mr. Thornton, is not a member of the Y. M. I., and besides, the Y. M. I. is not a training school for pugilists. Their gymnasium is only for the use of members or their friends, for healthful recreation. ***

Joe Abrams' Troubles.

Joe Abrams has a mouth on him today that is a "peach." It was caused by sudden and violent contact with the fist of Jim Riley, the Chillicothe street saloon keeper, Monday night.

Open Every Evening.

John F. Steahley's Opera House Dry Goods store will be open every evening.

Fresh, clean groceries, at lowest living prices, at H. J. Wendelken's, corner Chillicothe and Ninth streets.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by given Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

FRAGMENTS.

John Dielman Jr., is quite sick.

Mrs. Alex Altsman, of East Fourth street, is sick.

R. W. Chapman has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Thos. Tynes, of East Fourth street, has been quite sick for some days.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Emmett, of Offnere street, this morning.

Mrs. Wm. Applegate, of East Twelfth street, who has been quite ill with la grippe is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Annie Hughes has moved from Ninth street to John street into one of J. M. Wendelken's houses.

There is a warrant out for Maria Blankenship, for assaulting Mrs. John Bocook, but she cannot be found.

C. W. Wagner, formerly employed at the N. & W. shops in this city, has secured a good position in the Big Four shops at Dayton, O.

Dr. Moore and wife, of Ninth street, will not occupy the Ware property on Second street vacated by Dr. Van Tine, giving up the house after leasing it.

Miss Clara Bengel, of 24 Gallia street, who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks, with typhoid fever is slowly improving, and will be able to be about in a few days.

The suit of Theodore Funk against Mrs. Mary Englert, for $300 attorney fees which was to have been tried before 'Squire Shakespeare today was settled out of court, Mrs. Englert paying the fee.

Elbert Gibbs, son of Mrs. John Gibb's of Springville, Ky., ran off Sunday, and it was reported that he had been killed on the C. & O. near Cincinnati. His mother was mourning him as dead when he came back home last night.

OBITUARY.

SMITH.

Levi Smith was born in the state of New York May 14, 1810, and died February 13, 1898, aged 87 years, 8 months and 29 days. He was married to Mary Pool October 7, 1828, who died July 22, 1862. The fruits of this union were ten children, seven of whom have gone to that bourne from whence no traveller ere returns. One son and two daughters survive, viz, Mr. Isaiah Smith, of Columbus; Mrs. R. M. Davis and Mrs. Adam Ault, of Sciotoville.

The subject of this sketch was married to Mrs. Parthenia Moore, who in her 84th year is left to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted husband.

For over 60 years he had been a member of the Baptist church, and he lived a faithful and devoted Christian life until death.

The end came peacefully, surrounded by his loving children and the aged wife. It was the blending of the river of time into the ocean of eternity, and the decay had been so gradual through the many years that there was scarcely a ripple of the waves as the mortal put on immortality. It was the gathering of the golden sheaf that had fully ripened for the great harvest, heavy laden with the good deeds of more than four score of years. Truly a good man is gone. Will there be another to take his place in the race of life? None can fill the place of father for the children left behind, nor none the place of a kind husband to the aged widow.

Asleep in Jesus. Blessed sleep,
From which none ever wake to weep.
A calm and undisturbed repose,
Unbroken by the last of foes.
Asleep in Jesus. Far from thee,
Thy kindred and their graves may be;
But there is still a blessed sleep,
From which none ever wake to weep.

Sciotoville, O., Feb. 28, 1898. X.

CRAWFORD.

George Crawford, the 20 year old son of Geo. Crawford, of Lawson's heights, died last night of lung fever. He leaves a brother, John, sister, Bertha, and father and mother. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

THE HIGH SCHOOL GLEE CLUB

To Give an Entertainment Friday Evening—The Program.

The High School Glee club, an excellent musical organization, gives a concert Friday evening in the high school building which will be worth hearing. The following program will give a good idea of the excellence of the entertainment. The admission will be ten cents.

Chorus, Linden Tree—Glee club.
Selection, Country Fiddler—Stringed instruments.
Declamation—Alfred Robjent.
Chorus, Vocal Waltz—Glee club.
Solo, The Mountebank's Song—Albert Marting.
Chorus, Fair Shines the Moon Tonight—Glee club.
Piano Duet, Radiense (Gottschalk)—Maud Shepard and Bessie Anderson.
Violin solo, Kniwiak, Wieniaski (by request—Lizzie Smith.
Intermission.
Chorus, Estudiantina—Glee club.
Recitation—Mame Brown.
Vocal duet, Wandering in the May Time—Mary Williams and Jennie Beatty.
Chorus, Serenade—Glee club.
Violin solo, Bolero (Carl Bohm)—Wm. Burkel.
Piano trio, Music Box—Edith Moore, Mae Pursell and Ruth Johnson.
Chorus, Good Night—Glee club.

To Cure Headache in 15 Minutes.

Take Dr. Davis' Anti-Headach. Druggists.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by Wurster Bros, Druggist Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Goods that sold at 35c and 40c a yard, marked to sell at 15 cents per yard.

10c | Just received another full line of Seersucker Ginghams, | 10c

That variety of Ginghams so desirable for Children's wear, Boys' Waists, Shirts, etc. No washing can fade them. 10c a yard.

7c New line of Dress Ginghams in very attractive patterns at 7c per yard.

Zephyr Ginghams, extra wide fine quality, large checks, dark blue and white, light blue and white, 15c

MARTING BROS. & CO.

ADVANCE SALE — OF — Spring Dress Goods and Silks.

Comprising all the newest weaves and textures produced by home and foreign mills. We are determined to make our store headquarters for Dress Fabrics. Large assortments, latest styles and lowest prices is our motto.

10 pieces plain Silks, all silk, latest spring shades, actual worth 50c, our price 25c.

15 pieces figured Silks in silk and satin grounds, in all the leading shades and late designs, actual worth 65c, our price 45c.

20 pieces fancy figured Silks, checks, stripes, etc., actual worth $1, our price 70c a yard.

Elegant Colored Dress Goods.

New line Novelties, new spring shades, neat figures, 8 yard patterns for 97c.

New line Novelties, new spring shades, 36 inches wide, neat figures 15c a yard.

New line Spring Novelties, new spring shades, 38 in. wide, 18c yd.

New line Spring Dress Goods, all wool, worth 39c, our price 25c.

New line Spring Dress Goods, all wool, 30c yd.

New line Spring Dress Goods, all wool, actual worth 75c, our price 45c.

New Spring Dress Goods, all wool, raised figures, just received, actual value 75c, our price 59c.

New spring line Percales are now in. Grandest values ever offered, beautiful patterns, 7½c, 8½c and 12½c a yard.

New Spring line Laces, beautiful patterns from 1c yd. upwards.

New spring line Embroideries, values that cannot be equaled in the city.

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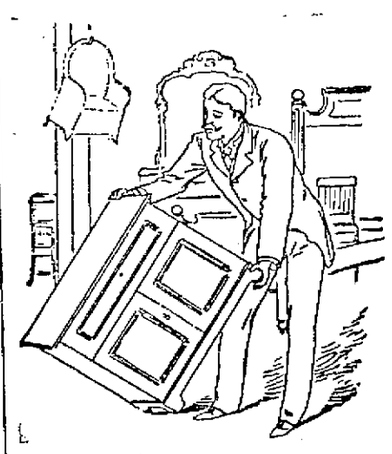

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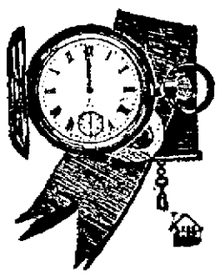

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EDW. LEE FEYLER,

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Hair Goods

Ladies will be interested in the elegant line of hair goods we have just received. Will be pleased to show you the line and quote prices.

THE MISSES EAVES,

405 Chillicothe St.

You'll Like

The meat that G. M. WARDER is now serving out to his customers, corner Clay and Eleventh streets.

Everything Clean And Fresh

Wright's Celery Tea regulates the liver and kidneys, cures constipation and sick headache. 25c at all druggists.

NO MINES THERE.

So Says Du Bosc With Reference to Havana Harbor.

HIS DECLARATION IS OFFICIAL.

This May or May Not Add Weight to the Statement.

SECRETARY LONG BELIEVES IT.

He Gives It as His Personal Opinion That Any Participation of the Spanish Government In the Blowing Up of the Maine Is Eliminated From the Situation—Arrangements Being Made For Funeral In Key West.

Washington, March 2.—Secretary Long gave it as his personal opinion that any official participation of the Spanish government in the blowing up of the Maine in Havana harbor was now eliminated from the situation.

The official declaration of Senor Du Bosc, the Spanish charge d'affaires, that no mines or submarine defenses exist in the harbor of Havana had come to the attention of Secretary Long.

This statement from the authorized representative of the Spanish government was felt to have been given its due weight in the opinion expressed by the secretary.

It was pointed out by persons bearing close relations to the secretary that the language used was "official participation" on the part of the Spanish government.

This, it was said, had no bearing on the question of Spain's responsibility. The "official participation" of Spain was one thing, while the responsibility of Spain, in case the disaster proved to be of external origin, was quite another thing.

The secretary's statement was restricted, it was explained, to exculpating Spain from direct official knowledge and participation in the affair.

In case it was shown that the act was due to some fanatic or person unconnected with the government, then the question of Spain's responsibility would be still open.

LOCAL DEMONSTRATION

Not Desired at the Funeral of the Maine's Dead.

Key West, March 2.—Dr. Maloney, mayor of this city, has been asked by Admiral Sicard to prevent any local demonstration when the funeral of the Maine's dead occurs.

He has asked that in the event of a parade being formed by the residents only American flags shall be displayed.

Mayor Maloney has promised to carry out Admiral Sicard's wishes as far as possible, but doubts whether the strong Cuban and anti-Spanish sentiment can be suppressed.

All of the funeral arrangements will be under the direction of Commander McCall of the Marblehead.

As now planned, small details of marines will be landed from the vessels here and at the Tortugas, and the artillery at the barracks will join in paying the last honors.

Why the Maine Was Tied Up.

Washington, March 2.—It has just been learned at the navy department that the Maine was tied up to a buoy in Havana harbor instead of anchoring because a man-of-war at a buoy is in much better place for quick service than when anchored, and because if a ship casts her anchor in Havana harbor, so foul and polluted with yellow fever and other disease germs is the mud that adheres to it when it is hoisted, that the ship must go into quarantine upon her return to any Florida port.

Wounded to Be Sent Home.

Havana, March 2.—The steamer Bache has been ordered to leave for the Dry Tortugas with five American wounded, all that are now left here, and one body. Admiral Sicard intends to hold a naval funeral over the bodies returned by the Bache, but may postpone the ceremony until others have been received, so that all may be formally interred at the same time.

Denied by Officials.

Havana, March 2.—The report that remnants of a submarine mine, alleged to have been raised by the United States naval divers at Havana, with the electrical wires, in which they had been entangled, were brought here on Sunday by the Mangrove and are now in the warehouse of the lighthouse department, is denied in high official quarters.

Subscription List Opened.

New York, March 2.—Admiral Bunce, commandant at the navy yard, received permission from Washington to open a subscription list at the navy yard for the benefit of the families of the men killed by the explosion on the Maine.

Tablet to Be Erected.

Washington, March 2.—A resolution was adopted by the senate to erect a tablet in the Capitol commemorative of the dead officers and sailors of the Maine.

Vizcaya at Havana.

Havana, March 2.—The Spanish cruiser Vizcaya arrived off Moro castle at 6 p. m., after a good voyage from New York.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

Wetmore, Mich., March 2.—The boilers in Clark & Acker's shingle mill exploded, killing two men and seriously injuring several others.

Turf Winners.

At New Orleans—Massacre, Globe, Vanessa, Sim W, Hot Stuff, Kings Pon.

A BOMB FOUND.

The Intention Was to Use It on King George of Greece.

Athens, March 2.—A bomb has been found near the scene of the attack on King George. It contained 100 drachmas of dynamite. Karditza, when examined, admitted that he intended to throw the bomb into the king's carriage. The general result of the inquiry thus far appears to indicate the existence of a secret conspiracy.

The Assassins Arrested.

Athens, March 2.—The accomplice of Karditza, a Macedonian workman named Giorgii, has been arrested. Karditza and Giorgii, on Saturday last, attempted to assassinate King George of Greece by shooting him while he was out driving with his daughter, Princess Marie.

Youtsey on Trial.

Newport, Ky., March 2.—The trial of Thomas B. Youtsey, late cashier of the defunct First National bank of Newport, Ky., was begun before Judge Taft and a jury on indictments which charge the defendant with the embezzlement of over $58,000 of the bank's money and with making false entries and false returns to the comptroller. A motion for a continuance on account of the defendant's ill health was overruled by the court.

Work, Rest and Blood.

Wilhelmshaven, Germany, March 2.—Emperor William, addressing the naval recruits, referred to the colors of the German flag—black, white and red—saying that black represented work, white represented rest and peace, and red represented blood, "which was necessary to cement the others together."

More Trouble For Turkey.

Constantinople, March 2.—Bulgaria's attitude concerning the Macedonian troubles is causing anxiety at the yildiz kiosk. It is believed at the palace that Russia is backing Bulgaria, and rumors of impending war with Russia and Bulgaria are in circulation.

The Danger Past.

Vienna, March 2.—Baron Von Gautsch, the premier and minister of interior, has reported to Emperor Francis Joseph that the Socialist movement among the Hungarian peasantry has so far abated that the danger may be considered past.

Trying to Buy a Steamer.

Buenos Ayres, March 2.—The Chilean government has offered £15,000 ($75,000) for the Argentine steamer Britannia, Captain Asteg, now lying at Buenos Ayres, with the view of using her as an armed transport in the event of trouble with Argentina.

In a Critical Condition.

Vienna, March 2.—The condition of Crown Princess Stephanie grows worse. She is suffering from inflammation of the lungs, a result of an attack of influenza, and it is spreading to an extent which makes her condition critical.

Price of Gold Advanced.

London, March 2.—It is said here that the Bank of France has advanced the price of gold with a view of preventing the further export of silver. The market is weak on rumors that the Indian import duty on silver will be raised.

Murdered by His Friend.

Spartansburg, S. C., March 2.—T. J. Trimmier, a well know merchant and respected citizen, was shot and killed by Dr. J. S. Bierings, a prominent dentist. The cause of the murder is a mystery, as the men had been close friends.

Liberals Overthrown.

Toronto, March 2.—General elections for the Ontario legislature took place throughout the province, and resulted in a virtual, if not actual, defeat for the Liberal government, which has held power for more than 25 years.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases, over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received; giving accounts of its good works; of the aggravating and persistent coughs it has cured; of severe colds that have yielded promptly to its soothing effects, and of the dangerous attacks of croup it has cured, often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough has shown that it robs that disease of all dangerous consequences. It is especially prized by mothers for their children, as it never fails to effect a speedy cure, and because they have found that there is not the least danger in giving it, even to babies, as it contains nothing injurious. Sold by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Many People Cannot Drink.

Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

$50 reward will be paid for a case of backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, weakness, loss of vitality, incipient kidney, bladder and urinary disorders, that cannot be cured by Morrow's Kidneoids, the great scientific discovery for shattered nerves and thin impoverished blood. Prepared in yellow tablets; 50c a box at druggists, or mailed on receipt of price by HERB MEDICINE CO., Manufacturers of the famous Lightning Hot Drops, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO. Write for testimonials.

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An Epileptic

Had Fifteen to Twenty-five Fits a Day and Was Insane for Ten Long Years. Permanently Cured by

Dr. Miles' Nervine.

Probably no disease to which man is subject, has more persistently baffled the efforts of physicians in all ages, than epilepsy and its kindred disorders. Originating in a weakened condition of the nerve-centers in the brain, it commences to manifest itself in headaches, restlessness, prickling, twinging sensations of the muscles, and twitching of the eyelids or lips. It is characterized by sudden dizziness; a partial or momentary loss of consciousness, or inability to control muscles of face, arms and legs; which is followed by partial paralysis or by convulsions and complete loss of consciousness. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine cures epilepsy by acting directly upon the nervous system which controls all the processes of the body, toning it up into sound and vigorous action.

The following very remarkable testimonial concerning the marvelous cure affected by the Restorative Nervine is worth reading:

"For the benefit of others suffering as my daughter was, with fits, I wish to say that pen cannot write nor tongue express the gratitude I feel for procuring so valuable a medicine as Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. She was having from fifteen to twenty-five fits a day when she commenced its use, and after taking one bottle and a half box of Nerve and Liver Pills, her fits stopped. Kept on until she had taken seven bottles of the Nervine and two boxes of the Pills to insure a cure. It has been nearly a year now, and there has been no sign of the fits returning. I hope others, who are similarly afflicted, will give this great medicine a trial. Too much can not be said of its merits. My daughter had also been insane for ten years, and she was cured of this trouble at the same time."

SEVEN YEARS LATER

He again writes: "My daughter is all right and has had no return of that terrible disease. DANIEL MYERS, Brooklyn, Mich.

A Positive Guarantee.

You run no risk in giving Dr. Miles' Nervine a trial. If the first bottle fails to benefit you, take the empty bottle to your druggist and get your money back. All druggists are authorized to sell the first bottle with that understanding.

Book on diseases of the heart and nerve sent free. Address,
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Fruit Trees, Berry Plants, Shade Trees and Roses.

Buy your stock of reliable parties and then you will meet with no disappointment. Kenyon is an experienced horticulturis and will give you the worth of your money. Parties in town can leave orders at Horr Bros, feed store, No. 52 Gallia stree. Telephone 40, or call at Droege's Grove Place, first house east of Athletic Park.

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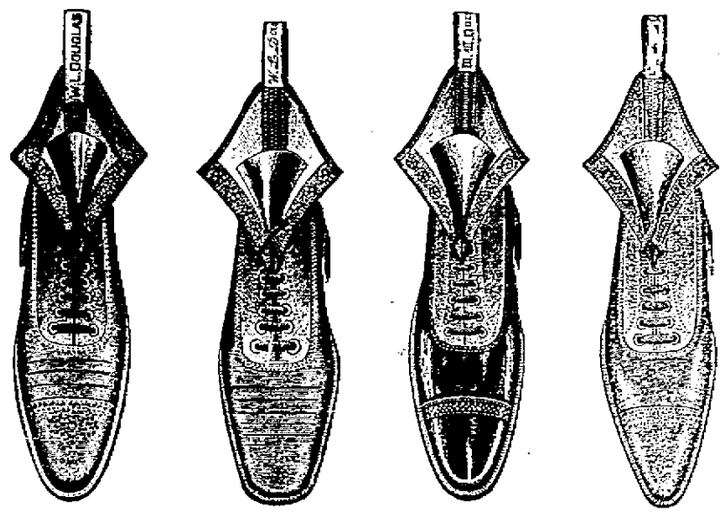

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East bound.	West bound.
*11:50 a. m.	* 4:50 a. m.
* 2:49 p. m.	* 7:10 a. m.
† 7:15 p. m.	* 2:05 p. m.
*12:00 p. m.	† 2:49 p. m.

C. P. & V. R. R.

Leave	Arrive
† 6:05 a. m.	*12 05 p. m.
* 2:00 p. m.	† 8:55 p. m.

N. & W. R. R.

North bound	East bound
* 5:15 a. m.	†10:55 a. m.
† 4:42 p. m.	† 3:42 p. m.
†10:28 a. m.	*11:10 p. m.

S. & O. S-W. (Hamden Junction.)

Leave	Arrive
†10:50 a. m.	†10:40 a. m.
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Have Miantonomah and Katahdin Been Ordered.

BERTHS FOR MAINE SURVIVORS.

That Is the Reason Given For the Order—They Will Be Ready by the 10th Inst.—The Katahdin Is a Freak of Naval Architecture and Is Feared by Naval Officers.

Washington, March 2.—The monitor Miantonomah and ram Katahdin have been ordered into commission on the 10th instant.

It is said at the department that the purpose of putting them in commission is to make berths for the survivors of the Maine now at Key West waiting on the court of inquiry, which, without doubt, will have finished by the 10th instant.

The Miantonomah is a formidable double-turreted monitor, carrying four 10-inch guns. She is of 3,990 tons displacement and steams 10½ knots per hour.

In addition to her main battery she carries a good secondary battery of rapid-fire guns, and her turrets are clad with 11½-inch armor.

The Katahdin, otherwise known as the Ammen ram, is a freak in naval architecture, and, although opinions are divided as to her qualities, there is little doubt that her presence in any harbor would make an enemy anxious.

She lies mostly under water, with a turtle back of steel varying in thickness from 2½ inches to 6 inches, and the theory of her designer, Admiral Ammen, was that this armor plate could not be struck directly by a shot from another vessel, and that any such shot would be harmlessley deflected by the sloping steel deck.

In action the conning tower and smokestack are about all of the ship that would present a mark. The former is made of steel 18 inches thick.

The Katahdin is a ram pure and simple, having in the way of weapons of offense nothing except her sharp steel beak and a few rapid-fire guns to keep off boarders or torpedo boats.

When she was designed her speed was placed at a very high mark, but she did not realize expectations owing to her peculiarly obstructive underwater model.

MONITOR ABOUT READY.

Other Ships Will Also Put to Sea In the Near Future.

Philadelphia, March 2.—The war vessels at League island are being rapidly prepared for sea.

The only one to go into commission immediately is the monitor Miantonomah. With the exception of receiving her coal, she is already for use.

Steam was gotten up in her boilers in order to test her engines, which were found to be in good working order.

Work on the ram Katahdin is also nearly completed. She has finished coaling.

The coaling of the cruiser Minneapolis will not be completed for a day or two.

The cruiser Columbia was brought out of her berth and towed up the Delaware river to the League island dry dock.

Her bottom will be cleaned and painted and some minor repairs will be made.

Getting Vessels Ready.

Bristol, R. I., March 2. — A 1,000-pound steel strut for the torpedo boat Dupont was shipped from the Herreschof works by rail for Mobile, where the boat has been lying disabled for some time. A similar piece of steel was shipped on Friday last to Mobile for the torpedo boat Porter. The new gunboat Talbot was given a builder's trial. The United States tug Leydon has placed the buoys for the speed trial of the torpedo boat Gwyn.

Filling Navy Department Orders.

New Haven, March 2.—Thomas G. Bennett, president of the Winchester Repeating Arms company, denies the truth of a published report that his company has suspended the manufacture of sporting guns in order to fill a government order. He says it is true they are running overtime in some departments and are filling navy department orders.

When Sage Will Retire.

Cincinnati, March 2.—Hon. George R. Sage, judge of the United States court, Southern district of Ohio, who has served continuously 15 years and is entitled to retire, has fixed Aug. 26 next as the close of his term of service. At that time he will have reached 70 years of age.

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MUST NOT SWEAR.

Baseball Players Are to Be Placed Under Restraint.

St. Louis, March 2.—Most radical legislation was enacted by the magnates of the National Baseball league assembled here in annual session. At the afternoon session, at which representatives of the press were permitted to be present, a measure for the suppression of obscene, indecent and vulgar language upon the ball field by players was adopted by the representatives of the 12 clubs present without a dissenting vote.

Not a Legal Tender.

Trenton, March 2.—The court of errors, in the case of Anderson against the North Hudson Traction company, decided that a mutilated dollar bill was not a legal tender; that the federal statutes providing for the redemption of mutilated bills by the government did not make the bill a legal tender as regards third parties.

Esterhazy Wants to Fight.

Paris, March 2.—Major Comte Ferdinand Walsin Esterhazy has challenged Colonel Picquart to a duel, as a result of the latter's evidence in the recent trial of M. Zola and of his repeated attempts to convict Comte Esterhazy of the crime for which Dreyfus is now undergoing imprisonment.

In True Kentucky Style.

Mayfield, Ky., March 2.—Sam Clark, auctioneer and merchant, shot and mortally wounded Steve R. Carney, who is president of the Western District Tobacco and Warehouse company, which controls the best part of the trade in this part of the state.

Sold by the Sheriff.

Deadwood, S.D., March 2.—The property of the Portland Consolidated Mining company was sold by the sheriff to satisfy a judgment of foreclosure. The property was bid in by Hallock W. Seaman of Clinton, Ia., trustee of the stockholders, for $338,798.

The Governor Disappointed.

Indianapolis, March 2.—The release of Hez Hughes, alleged lyncher, was a disappointment to Governor Mount, who said he expected that Hughes would be held for grand jury action. The governor said the investigation would not be dropped.

Hughes Not Guilty.

Cross Plains, Ind., March 2.—"Hez" Hughes, charged by Governor Mount with being the leader of the mob which lynched five outlaws at Versailles, was declared not guilty by Justice Craig, before whom the preliminary trial was held.

Across the Continent.

New York, March 2.—The special train carrying the reindeer and attendants which were intended for the proposed government relief expedition left Jersey City for Seattle.

To Abolish Import Duties.

Madrid, March 2.—The government is considering the advisability of entirely abolishing the import duty on grain.

MARKET REPORT.

Grain and Stock Quotations For March 1.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $10 00@11 00; extra mess, $8 00@8 50; packed, $9 00@10 50. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5¾@7c; pickled shoulders, 4¾c; pickled hams, 7¾@8c. Lard—Western steam, $5 42½. Pork—Old mess, $10 25@10 75.

Butter—Western dairy, 12@20c; creamery, 14½@21c; do factory, 11@14c. Cheese—State, large, 8½@8¾c; small, 9@9¼c; part skims, 4@5½c; full skims, 2@3c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 19c; western fresh, 18½c.

Wheat—$1 07¼. Corn—37⅜c. Oats—31c. Rye—59½c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Choice, $4 90@5 00; good, $4 70@4 80; tidy butchers', $4 40@4 65; fair, $4 20@4 35; common, $3 50@4 00; heifers, $3 50@4 40; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@4 00; fresh cows, $20@40.

Hogs—Yorkers, $4 15@4 20; mediums, $4 20@4 25; fair, $3 85; grassers, $3 10@3 15; heavy, $4 10@4 20; rough, $3 50@3 75; pigs, $3 90@4 05.

Sheep—Choice, $4 80@4 90; good, $4 65@4 75; fair, $4 45@4 60; common, $3 50@4 00; lambs, $5 70@5 80.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 85@5 85; cows and heifers, $2 60@3 80; Texas steers, $3 50@4 50; western, $4 15@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 30@4 55.

Hogs—Light, $3 95@4 05; mediums, $3 80@4 02; heavy, $4 00@4 10; rough, $3 40@3 90.

Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 50@4 60; fair, $4 20@4 40; common, $3 25@4 10; exports, $3 00; choice lambs, $4 50@5 60.

Wheat—$1 05½. Corn—29¼c. Oats—25¾c. Rye—49¼c.

BUFFALO.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 50@4 60; shipping, $4 65@4 85; best steers, $5 20@5 40; good, cows and heifers, $3 50@4 00; stockers and feeders, $3 50@4 35.

Hogs—Yorkers, $4 20@4 25; roughs, common to good, $3 60@3 70; mediums and heavies, $4 15; pigs, $4 05.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, extra, $4 85@4 90; good prime, $5 00@5 15; common, $2 60@3 90; choice lambs, $5 70@5 75.

CLEVELAND.

Hogs—Yorkers and light, $4 10; mediums and heavies, $3 90; stags and roughs, $3 00@3 30.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 90@4 40; lambs, $4 25@5 50.

Cattle—Steers, $3 75@4 50; heifers, $3 00@4 00; cows and bulls, $2 00@3 50.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 98c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 31¾c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 28c. Rye—53c.

Lard—$5 00. Bulk meats—$5 15. Bacon—$6 00.

Hogs—$3 25@4 07½. Cattle—$2 50@4 75. Sheep—$2 75@4 75.

BOSTON.

Wool—Ohio fleeces, X and above, 27@28c; XX and above, 30@31c; delaine, 30@31c; No. 1 combing, 30@31c; No. 2 combing, 30@31c.

TOLEDO.

Wheat—$1 00. Corn—31¼c. Oats—27c. Rye—51c. Cloverseed—$3 05.

BALTIMORE.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 21@22c. Eggs—Fresh, 14c.

De Lome Hanged In Effigy.

Troy, N. Y., March 2.—Spain's former minister to the United States, Senor Dupuy de Lome, was hanged in effigy in this city and the police had to be called upon to disperse a crowd of about 100 people who had assembled to hurl epithets at the object of their scorn. Placards on the effigy were thus inscribed: "Hang De Lome," "Sucker De Lome."

Will Attack Manila.

Shanghai, March 2.—The United States squadron is concentrated at Hongkong with a view to active operations against Manilla, Philippine islands, in the event of an outbreak of war between the United States and Spain. The squadron, which is powerful, includes the cruisers Olympia, Boston, Raleigh, Concord and Petrel.

Taking on Coal.

Key West, March 2.—The cruiser Detroit returned from the Tortugas with a coal schooner in tow. The latter dropped anchor near the cruiser New York, which will take coal from her.

The Winslow Sails.

Norfolk, March 2.—The torpedo boat Winslow came out of the dry dock at the navy yard and sailed, presumably for Key West.

Boycott Goes Into Effect.

Kansas City, March 2.—The freight boycott on the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad by roads in the Southwestern and Western Traffic bureaus has gone into effect.

Notion Dealer Assigns.

Baltimore, March 2.—Moritz H. Heller, a wholesale notion dealer, trading as M. H. Heller & Company, made an assignment. Assets, $25,000; liabilities undetermined.

It Is Easy to Tell.

People who fail to look after their health are like the carpenter who neglects to sharpen his tools. People are not apt to get anxious about their health soon enough. If you are "not quite well" or "half sick" have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness?

It is easy to tell by setting aside your urine for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, scanty supply; pain or dull ache in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is satisfaction in knowing that the great remedy Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, fulfills every wish, in relieving weak or diseased kidneys and all forms of bladder and urinary trouble. Not only does Swamp-Root give new life and activity to the kidneys—the cause of trouble, but by treating the kidneys it acts as a tonic for the entire consititution. If you need a medicine take Swamp-Root—it cures. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar.

You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention the Times and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Free! Free! Free!

Given away for a few days only, commencing Saturday Feb. 19th, 250 boxes, of Wright's Celery Capsules at Amann's Pharmacies. Any person afflicted with Liver, Kidney or Stomach Complaints, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headaches, can get one of the boxes free. Parties living out of the city can get them free by addressing The Wright Med. Co., Columbus, O.

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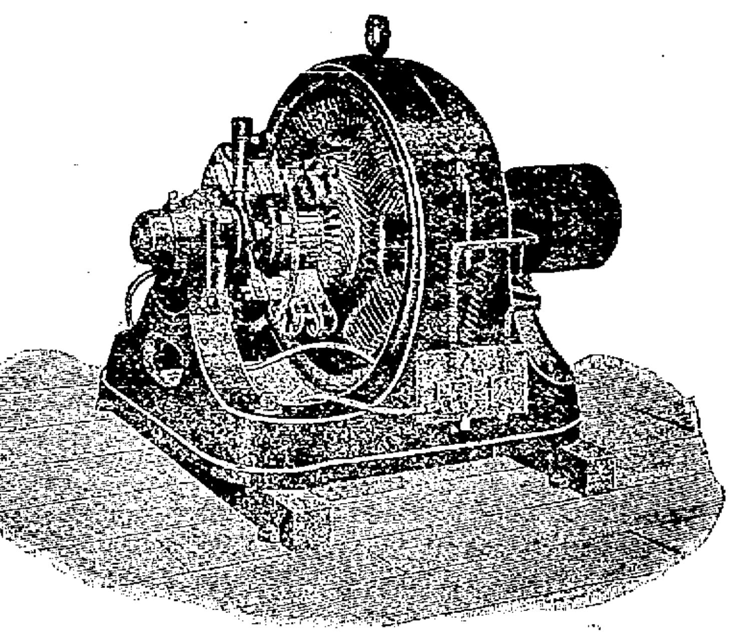

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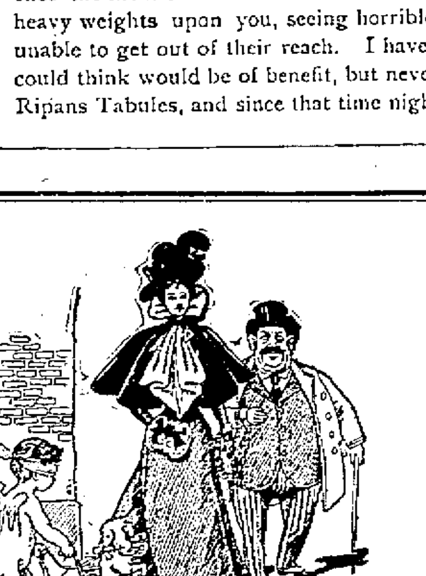

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AT MIDNIGHT

Sheriff Rickey Served Injunction Papers on J. I. Marsh.

The Ice Man Was Called Out of Bed to Hear the Papers Read.

Alleged That He Had Planned to Tear Up a Siding Leading to the Street Railroad Power House, and the Railroad Secured an Injunction Against Him.

Sam Timmonds, of the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light company, and J. I. Marsh have locked horns and will fight out their troubles in the courts. Their trouble is about a switch running from the N. & W. to the street railroad power house, and used to switch in coal cars for the convenience of the railroad.

This switch passes in front of the building to be utilized by Mr. Marsh for his new ice plant, and he alleges it will be a source of great annoyance and inconvenience to him. He and Mr. Timmonds failed to reach any understanding on the matter and Mr. Marsh decided to do some execution. It is said he had planned to put a force of men to work early this morning tearing up the offending track. This came to the ears of Mr. Timmonds last night and he decided to act promptly.

At 11 o'clock last night Mr. Timmonds hunted up Deputy Clerk Sam G. Harper and took him to the court house and filed papers in an injunction suit to restrain Mr. Marsh from interfering with the track in any manner whatever. Sheriff Rickey was then called out of bed and at midnight he tapped gently on the door of the sleeping ice manufacturer. Mr. Marsh came to the door, Sheriff Rickey served the injunction papers on him and the plan to tear up the tracks will have to be postponed a few days.

The injunction will be argued before Judge Milner Thursday morning and he will then decide whether or not it shall be made permanent.

REV. EMERICK

Has Recovered and Is Again Conducting the Free Will Baptist Revival.

Rev. Joseph Emerick, who was conducting the revival at the Free Will Baptist church, but who was compelled to go to his home in Waverly on account of sickness, has returned and is now conducting the meetings planned for.

There was a very large attendance last night and those present listened to an excellent sermon. Rev. Emerich is one of the best revivalists in the state. Several conversions were the result of last night's meeting.

The Cooking School.

The ladies of the Second Presbyterian church have perfected arrangements for opening their cooking school on March 14th and continuing for two weeks. The teacher comes with splendid testimonials from many of the best housekeepers in the land. It was difficult to secure her for Portsmouth. She will teach from four to six dishes each afternoon including every variety of plain and fancy food. Every where she has taught, housekeepers have become enthusiastic over her instruction tickets for the entire course will be sold for $2.50 or 50 cents for a single afternoon. They can be obtained of any ladies of the church. They will also be placed on sale in a few days at Andersons dry goods store, Fisher & Streich drug store, and Millers drug store corner Ninth and Waller streets.

For Sale.

Hundred feet corner Fifth street and Campbell avenue.

Seven room dwelling, lot 25 x 133 Offnere street, near Gallia.

Business room first floor, residence flat second floor, south side Second street between Court and Market streets.

Two story dwelling No. 434 Gallia street, will be sold at a bargain.

Vacant lot 35 feet Chillicothe street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets. An excellant opportunity for a good lot.

House and lot on Young street. A bargain.

Hundred feet vacant ground on East Fifth street.

Two lots, board of trade addition. Lot No. 8 Monroe street, and lot No. 217 Fifth street.

The above property must be sold soon.

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They Were Frightened.

As two young ladies, residents of Court street, were returning home from a shopping trip down town last night they were met at the corner of Eighth and Court by two black, villainous looking objects and ran screaming into a neighbor's house, almost crazed with fright. The gentleman whose house they ran into for protection happend to be at home, and upon investigation found the villainous looking objects to be the reflection thrown across the street by two big, ugly wires with pieces of carbon tied to the ends and hung up in the street at that corner to serve as an electric lamp.

As Neat As a New Pin.

Mrs. M. T. Wiechens is having her millinery store at 207 Chillicothe street, repapered and repainted, and made as neat and tidy as a new bandbox. Miss Minnie is the moving spirit there and also does the buying for the house. She had scarcely returned from Cincinnati yesterday when great boxes of spring millinery commenced to come in. She will have some beautiful creations in millinery to show this spring.

Look at the ten cent window at E. L. Gates & Co.'s. It is gorgeous. Nothing like it has ever been seen.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Clearing tonight; fair Thursday.

COURT HOUSE.

Transcript was filed from the civil docket of 'Squire Groniger, of Valley township, in suit of replevin. Richard Belcher vs. S. S. Johnson. Amount of property claimed, one horse and damages amounting to $35.

PROBATE COURT.

Jacob Tritt, guardian, vs his ward, George Brame, petition filed; set for hearing.

Estate of J. Q. Shumway, deceased. Declaratons, etc., filed.

First and final account filed of Jonathan S. Dodge, administrator of the estate of Benjamin Ward.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMISSION.

First Ward—Peter Lunsford, $2 for 3 months.

Fifth Ward—J. B. Griffin, $2 for 3 months.

Sixth Ward—John Berner, $2 for 3 months.

Sixth Ward—Nancy Carver, $2 for 3 months.

Sixth Ward—Mary Minard, $2 for 3 months.

Seventh Ward—Nancy Parsons, $2 for 3 months.

Seventh Ward—Lida Cole, $2 for 3 months.

Rarden—Samuel Moore, $2 for 3 months.

Rarden—A. B. Newman, $3 for 1 month.

Morgan—David L. Massie, $2 for 2 months.

Morgan—Downey Droudner, $2 for 2 months.

Morgan—Mary E. Carver, $2 for 3 months.

Morgan—Elsie Crabtree, $2 for 3 months.

Morgan—Henrietta Burnhemer, $2 for 3 months.

Morgan—Ocey Gordon, $3 for 2 months.

Clay—Wm. Porter, $2 for 3 months.

Clay—Andrew J. Davis, $2 for 3 months.

Clay—Mary McLease, $2 for 3 months.

Porter—Alexander Smith, $2 for 3 months.

Upper Nile—Jeremiah Sayre, $2 for 3 months.

Upper Nile—Charley Spence, $2 for 2 months.

Lower Nile—Wm. Biggs, $2 for 2 months.

Lower Nile—John Becker, 2 for 3 months.

Union—Philip Crabtree, $2 for 3 months.

FATALLY BURNED.

Horrible Fate of an Aged Lady at Otway Tuesday Morning.

Mrs. Nancy Powell Almost Roasted Alive—Her Clothing Ignited from the Fire Place, Burst Into a Flame and She Was Burned Nearly to Death Before Assistance Could Reach Her—Will Probably Die.

Mrs. Nancy Powell, an aged widow lady living near Otway, met with a horble fate yesterday morning that will probably result fatally. She was working near the fire when her apron ignited. She did not notice it, and stepping out into the yard after something the air soon caused the flame to burst out and in a moment she was all ablaze. Her screams for help brought her granddaughter from another part of the house, and two men who happened to be near by. These ran to her assistance and done everything possible to extinguish the fire, but before it could be accomplished the poor woman's hair was burned off, and the flesh of her whole body actually roasted, and her death is momentarily expected. The granddaughter, Miss Flora Slack, was severely burned, also the the men in their heroic efforts to save the unfortunate woman. She was the mother of Frances M. Powell and Wm. Powell, two prominent farmers of Brush Creek township.

Thanks to Our Patrons.

For the past thirty days we have been selling solid gold spectacles, including accurate adjustment of glasses, at $3.50. Our sales have far surpassed our most sanguine expectations, for which we are thankful to our many patrons. We sold not only several pairs, but many dozen pairs, and among those who purchased are some whose eyes were in a very bad condition, and quite a number who had tried other opticians and failed to get relief or satisfaction. Among the great number who came to us, not one did our optician, Mr. Tinder, fail to thoroghly satisfy. We now have more than one hundred walking advertisements in this city, from which we know we will receive much benefit in future. We still have a few more of these spectacles left that will be sold at the remarkaly low price of $3.50, which includes accurate adjustment.

O. H. HARRIS.

Card of Thanks.

During our recent affliction, resulting in the death of our beloved one, Jno. H. Kennard, many friends gave freely of sympathy and valuable aid. The Burgess mill men deserve special mention for time and money given so generously to aid in bearing our heavy burden. Our hearts are full of thankfulness for all this kindness.

WIFE AND RELATIVES.

The 10, 15, 25 and 50 cent counters at E. L. Gates & Co.'s are attracting the attention of lovers of the beautiful and useful combined. They have some rare bargains in chinaware, glassware and bric-a-brac.

TOWEL SENSATION

Tomorrow, THURSDAY, we place on sale 100 dozen Cotton, Linen, and Turkish Bath Towels at prices named below, which are the lowest ever known in the Towel History, size and quality considered. These prices are for tomorrow only. Be on hand and get first choice.

15 doz. Cotton Huck Towels, size 20x42, at	5 c each
20 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, sizes 22x40, at	10 c each
10 doz. Bleach Cotton Towels, extra heavy, size 18x40	9 c each
15 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, size 22x45, at	12½c each
10 doz. Bleached Damask Towels, size 18x26, at	12½c each
10 doz. Linen Huck Towels, size 21x42, at	15 c each
10 doz. Bleached Damask Towels, knotted fringe, 20x38	19 c each
10 doz. Turkish Bath Towels, size 24x52, at	19 c each

Our new stock of Dry Goods we are receiving daily. Part of them are already in and we are ready to serve you on nearly every line. While stock is not yet complete, but enough is in worthy your attention. Dress Lining stock complete. Prints, Muslins, Percales, staple Check Ginghams, Table Linens, Napkins, Crashes, complete. A greater portion of Dress Goods and White Goods is already in, and more coming. Respectfully yours,

Parisian

Cloak and Dry Goods Co.

75 West Second Street.

"AS YOU LIKE IT."

Under the direction of assignee, all the goods in the **OPERA HOUSE DRY GOODS STORE** will be closed out at **ANY OLD PRICE.**

Remnants of Ginghams, Dress Goods, Canton Flannels, etc., dirt cheap.

Plaid Dress Goods reduced from 6c to 4½c.

Plaid Dress Goods reduced from 15c to 11c.

Thirty-four inch Serges reduced from 18c to 13c.

Twenty-five cent All Wool Serges reduced to 21c.

Fifty cent Serges reduced to 37c.

Handsome Novelties reduced from 50c to 33c.

Thirty cent Novelties reduced to 22c.

Handsome Black Novelties reduced from $1 to 69c, 54 in. wide.

Handsome Black Rough Novelties reduced from 60c to 39c.

Handsome Black Henriettas, 46 in. wide, reduced from $1 to 69c.

One Dollar Corsets reduced to 86c.

Seventy-five cent Corsets reduced to 42c.

Handsome Fancy Ribbons at astonishingly low prices.

Handkerchiefs at prices that will tempt you to buy a cart load.

Bleached and Unbleached yard wide Muslins, Sheetings and Pillow Casings, very cheap.

Hosiery, Underwear, at slaughtering prices. A good line from which to select.

Outing Flannels, a very choice line from which to select, at greatly reduced prices.

Remember this is not a shelf worn stock of remnants, but good clean goods, and but for the fact that it is being closed out by the assignee, would readily bring almost double the prices at which they will be sold.

Opera House Dry Goods Store,

Corner Fourth and Chillicothe Sts.

JAS. S. THOMAS,

Assignee.

Muslin Underwear.

New stock will be on sale tomorrow. New styles and at prices that will influence you to buy and save yourself the making at a very small cost.

Ladies' Gowns, good values to be had at 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, etc.

Our $1.00 Gowns are splendid values and economical numbers to buy in the end.

Ladies' Drawers at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Ladies' Skirts at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and up.

Wide Umbrella Skirts, linen ruffles and embroidery trimmings for $1.00.

Corset Covers 10c, 25c, 39c, 50c, 65c, 75c.

For 25c a nice cambric Corset Cover with good Torchon Lace will interest you.

Ladies' Chemise 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Children's Gowns at 50c and 60c.

Children's Drawers at 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c and 40c.

New Embroideries.

20 styles to select from at 3c.
50 styles to select from at 5c.
25 styles to select from at 7c.
25 styles to select from at 8c.
40 styles to select from at 12c.
40 styles to select from at 15c.
40 styles to select from at 18c.
15 styles to select from at 25c.
10 styles to select from at 35c.

Also a large variety of Match Set Embroideries in Swiss, Organdy, Nainsook and Hamberg.

G. W. Anderson & Sons,

Corner Second and Court Streets.

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO SUIT YOU!

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READY TO WEAR SUITS.

In Our Custom Department

You will find all the new Spring Novelties in Imported and Domestic Suitings and Pantaloonings. Place your order now before the season's rush and while the stock is complete.

IT IS ONLY A STEP BETWEEN CUSTOM MADE AND READY TO WEAR CLOTHING. That is, such clothing as we are selling. We have spared no pains to secure the best money could buy and are confident there is none better on the market.

Just As a Starter

To introduce our goods, we have placed on sale a large lot of Men's All Wool Clay Diagonal Suits for $8.00, in either sack or frock suits, handsomely made, best of trimmings, just such goods that are selling everywhere for $10.00.

Burt, Pride and Hall,

103 West Second St., Near Court.

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